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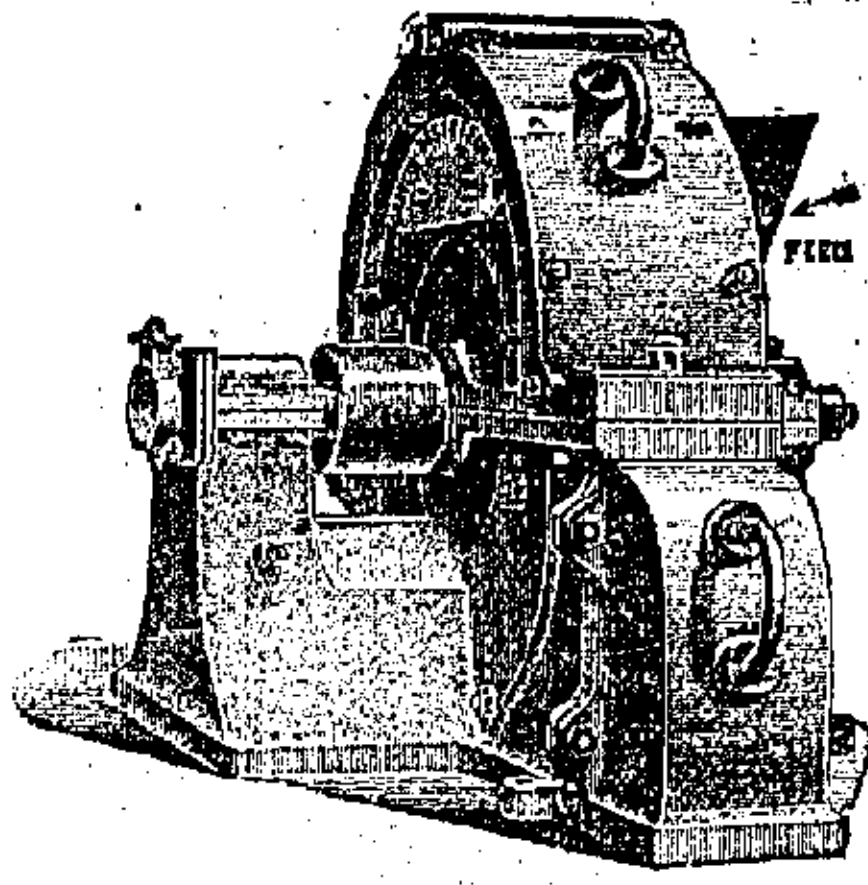
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E. H. GORGES,
Colonial,
Treasury Chest Officer, China,
HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY OFFICE,
Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 13th March, 1900. 565

QUEEN MINES, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE FIRST ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of
the above Company will be held at the
Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and
40, Queen's Road Central, on THURSDAY,
the 22nd March, at Noon, for the purpose
of receiving the Report of the General
Managers, together with a Statement of
Accounts for the year ending 30th November,
1899.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 8th to the
22nd March, both days inclusive.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers,
Hongkong, March 7, 1900. 509

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY,
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in
the above Company will be held at the
Office of the Company on TUESDAY, the
27th day of March, at Noon, for the pur-
pose of confirming the late Special
Resolution which was passed at the Ex-
traordinary General Meeting of Shareholders
on the 7th Instant.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION.
'That the Profits accrued to the Com-
pany from the issue at a premium of the
New Shares in the Company, authorised to
be issued by the Special Resolution passed
on the 6th, and confirmed on the 22nd day
of April, 1899, amounting to the Sum of
\$1,250,000, and which was then carried,
and is now standing to the Credit of the
Reserve Fund in pursuance of such Special
Resolution, be capitalised and be applied in
part payment of the Call of \$20 per Share
on all the Shares in the Company, to be
made by the Board.'

By Order of the Board,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 7, 1900. 513

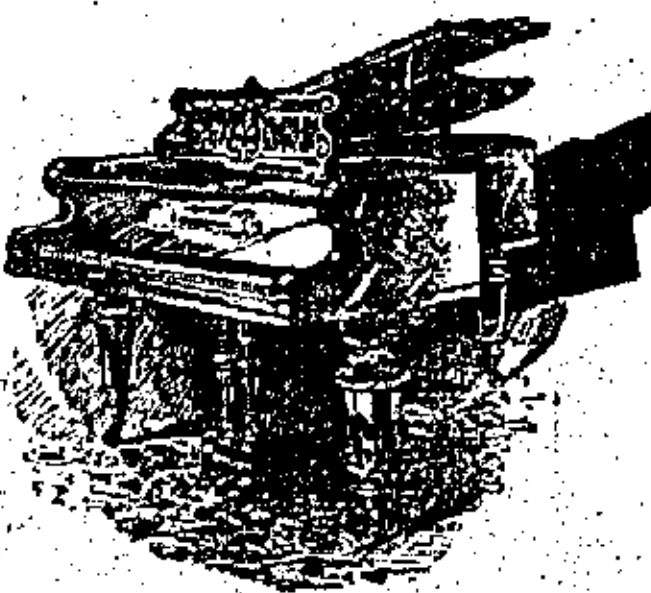
NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Power
of Attorney under which Mr. P. M.
SETNA of Hongkong (now at Shanghai),
has been representing the late Firm of L.
N. MITTA & Co. of Hongkong, was re-
voked on the 23rd day of February, 1900.
DINSHAW SORABJI TALATI,
NARAJI SORABJI TALATI,
MANICKJI PESTONJI TALATI,
HAZARIMUL MOOLANANDH,
Hongkong, March 14, 1900. 574

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING will be held in the
Pavilion, on FRIDAY, 23rd March, at
5.30 p.m.
Business—Balling in the Ground.
JAMES A. LOWSON,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, March 14, 1900. 577

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TENDERS for the SUPPLY of FRESH
WATER to H. M. SHIPS, will be
received by the Commanding Officer, H. M. Naval
Yard, until Noon of SATURDAY, 17th
Inst.

Forms of Tender and any information
desired can be obtained on application at
the Office of the Naval Store Officer, H. M.
Naval Yard.

BY ORDER.
H. M. Naval Yard,
9th March, 1900. 551

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAMNAVI-
GATION CO., LTD.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed
that at the Annual General Meeting
held in London recently a FINAL DIVI-
DEND of 3% was Declared, on the Com-
pany's Preference SHARES for the Six
Months ending 31st December, 1899, mak-
ing 12% in all. A DIVIDEND of 10% for the
same year was also declared on the Com-
pany's Ordinary Shares with the addition
of a BONUS of 3% per SHARE. DIVI-
DEND WARRANTS will be ready on
the 21st Instant.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 15th to
the 20th Inst., both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, March 14, 1900. 538

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING
of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at
the Company's Hotel on TUESDAY,
the 27th March, 1900, at Noon, for the
purpose of receiving a Statement of Ac-
counts of the Company to the 31st Decem-
ber, 1899, with the Report of the Directors,
and to discuss any matter that may be
competently brought before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 13th to
the 27th March, 1900, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board,
C. MOONEY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 1, 1900. 497

WATKINS, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
in the above Company will be held at the
Company's Office, Queen's Road, at Noon,
on SATURDAY, the 17th March, for the
purpose of receiving the Report of the
General Managers, with a Statement of
Accounts to 31st December, 1899.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 12th March
to 17th March, both days inclusive.
G. A. WATKINS,
CHAM & FOOK,
General Managers,
Hongkong, March 5, 1900. 488

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS
are requested to send in a Statement
of Business contributed during the Half-
Year ended 31st December, 1899, on or be-
fore the 21st March, on which date the Ac-
counts will be CLOSED.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
THOS. I. ROSE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 1, 1900. 479

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NOTICE is hereby given that an Extra-
ordinary General MEETING of the
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be held at the Company's Hotel on the 27th
day of March, 1900, at 12.15 p.m.

1. To consider and if thought fit approve
the Draft New Regulations which will
be submitted to the Meeting and in
the event of the approval thereof
with or without modifications or
alterations.
2. To consider and if thought fit to pass
a resolution to the effect that the
new regulations already approved by
this Meeting and for the purpose of
identification Subscribed by the
Chairman thereof be and the same
are hereby approved and that such
regulations be and the same are
hereby adopted as the Regulations of
the Company to the exclusion of all
the existing regulations thereof.
A copy of the proposed new Regulations
may be seen at the Company's Office.
Should the above resolution be passed
by the required Majority it will be sub-
mitted for confirmation as a special resolution
to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which
will be subsequently convened.
Dated the 1st day of March, 1900.
By Order of the Board,
C. MOONEY,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

WE beg to notify the Public that Mr.
H. H. BODMEYER is now no
longer in our Service and that any Business
Transacted between him and the Public is
entirely outside of our concern.
FUK TIN TONG,
No. 106, Queen's Road Central.
Hongkong, March 3, 1900. 484

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY
ANNUAL MEETING of the SHARE-
HOLDERS of the Company will be held
at the Office of the General Agents, on
THURSDAY, 29th March, at 3 p.m., for
the purpose of receiving their Report with
a Statement of Accounts to 31st Decem-
ber, 1899.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 15th to the
29th March, both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents,
Hongkong, March 9, 1900. 486

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DODWELL & Co., Ltd.,
General Managers.
16th February, 1900. 374

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

The Persian Gulf.

Bombay, Feb. 27.—It appears that the
"torpedo cruiser" reported by the Persian
Gulf is none other than the *Gunboat*,
a vessel of 933 tons displacement and
capable of steaming twelve knots. Her
draught of water is but ten fathoms and
her capacity only about fifty tons. The
steamer *Gunboat* of London has been
sighted in the Persian Gulf. The *Gunboat* is
lying in Persian waters for some months
past and the Russian Government feared
300 tons of coal for her, the supply of
which was transported to the *Gunboat*,
which was bound for Bombay with a cargo
of coal consigned to the firm was ordered
Port Said to sail for the Persian Gulf for
the purpose of refilling the bunkers of
the Russian gunboat then lying off Bunder
Abbas. The English authorities knew of
this transaction and there was a delay of
twenty hours in the departure of the *Wad-*
don from Aden. On arrival at Bunder Ab-
bas she was not allowed by the Persian
Government to land her coals on the wharf
and the cargo was transhipped to the *Gun-*
boat. A small quantity, sufficient to
fill her bunkers and the 200 tons, was
stowed on deck filling it up from stern to
stern. It is believed her intention was to
land the bulk of the coal somewhere on the
shore of the Persian Gulf and then to
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MAIDZURU MARU,
Captain T. Oyata, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 18th
Inst., at Daylight.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
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THE Steamship
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Captain E. Fy, will be despatched for the
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THE Company's Steamship
MARIA VALERIE,
Captain A. Finkler, will leave for the
above places on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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THE Company's Steamship
ORESTES,
Captain Morris, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on MONDAY, the 26th March.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
GLAUCUS,
Captain Barrow, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on TUESDAY, the 27th April.
For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
PATHAN
will be despatched for the above Port on or
about the 7th April.
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Agents.
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CALCUTTA,
Captain Gazon, will be despatched for
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Inst., at Noon.
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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND
PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
THE Company's Steamship
HINCHU,
Captain Williams, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on THURSDAY, the 16th
Inst., at Noon.
The attention of Passengers is directed
to the Superior Accommodation offered by
this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situated
forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating
Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Pro-
visions during the entire voyage. A duly-
qualified Surgeon is carried, and the vessel
is fitted throughout with Electric Light.
N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Com-
pany to and from Australia are available
for Return by the Steamers of the Eastern
and Australian S. S. Co., and vice versa.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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Hongkong, March 15, 1900. 589

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship
CHINGTU,
Captain Williams, will be despatched for
the above Ports, on THURSDAY, the 16th
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LOVSTARKEN
will be despatched for the above Ports
on or about the 15th April, 1900.
For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, March 15, 1900. 583

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SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN,
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ON MONDAY the 26th March.

at 1 p.m., the S.S. SYDNEY,
Captain AUBERT, with MAILED PAS-
SANGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO,
will leave this Port for MARSEILLES
via BOMBAY.
This Steamer connects at COLOMBO
with the S.S. Indus, which vessel
takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving
that Port for the 7th April, direct to
SUEZ, PORT SAID and MARSEILLES.
Cargo and parcels will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the
principal Ports of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted till
Noon.
Cargo will be received on board until 4
p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on
the 25th March. (Parcels are not to be
sent on board; they must be left at the
Agents' Office).
Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.
For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, March 15, 1900. 581

CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE
ATLANTIC, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE
RAILROAD CO.

Proposed Sailings from
HONGKONG TO SAN DIEGO, AND
SAN FRANCISCO VIA INLAND SEA
OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Taking Cargo and Passengers to JAPAN
PORTS, AND HONOLULU, THE
UNITED STATES, MEXICO, THE
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA,
Etc.

Lady Joyce, 3194. On 31st March.
Sundridge City, 3203. About 14th April.
Carnarvonshire, 3229. About 12th May.
Belgian King, 3373. About 26th May.
Thyria, 3408. About 9th June.

THE S.S. Lady Joyce will be despatched
for SAN DIEGO, and SAN FRAN-
CISCO, via KOBE, YOKOHAMA, and
HONOLULU, on 31st March.
Through Bills of Lading issued to any
point in the United States.
Cargo will be received on board until 5
p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel
Packages will be received at the Office until
the same time. All Parcels should be
marked to address in full. Value of same
is required.
Consular Invoices, to accompany Cargo
destined to Points beyond San Diego,
should be sent to the Company's Office,
addressed to the Collector of Customs, San
Diego.
For further information, as to Freight or
Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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Hongkong, March 15, 1900. 591

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Through Bills of Lading issued for
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CHINA AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship COROMANDAL, Capt.

F. W. VIBERT, R.N.R., calling Her
Majesty's Mails, will be despatched
from this Port for BOMBAY, etc., on SATURDAY,
the 17th March, at Noon, taking Passen-
gers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Silk and Valuables, all C/O for France,
and Tea for London (under arrangement)
will be transhipped at Bombay into a
steamer proceeding direct to London, and
London; other cargo for Bombay, etc., will
be conveyed via Hongkong with Transship-
ment.

Parcels will be received at this Office
until 4 p.m. on the day previous to sailing.
The contents and value of all packages are
required.
Shippers are particularly requested to
note the terms and conditions of the Com-
pany's Bills of Lading.
For further Particulars, apply to
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, March 3, 1900. 478

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, March 3, 1900.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND
SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.
Yamato Maru, (via) Tuesday, March
Shanghai, Nagasaki, 20, at Daylight.
Kure, Inland Sea, N.
Yamato Maru, (via) Saturday, April
Shanghai, Nagasaki, 14, at Noon.
Kure, Inland Sea, Y.
Yamato Maru, (via) Tuesday, May 8,
Shanghai, Nagasaki, 8, at Noon.
Kure, Inland Sea, H.
Yamato Maru, (via) Tuesday, May 8,
Shanghai, Nagasaki, 8, at Noon.
Kure, Inland Sea, H.

THE S.S. NIPPON MARU will

be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO,
via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE,
INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA & HONO-
LULU, on TUESDAY, the 20th Feb.,
at Daylight, taking Passengers and Cargo
for Japan, the United States, and Europe.
Steamers of this line pass through the
INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at
HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed
to break their journey at any point en route.
Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-
land, France, and Germany by all trans-
Atlantic lines of steamers and to the prin-
cipal cities of the United States or Canada.
Rates may be obtained on application.
Passengers holding through ORDERS
TO EUROPE from San Francisco, including
rail routes from San Francisco, including
the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC,
UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIO GRANDE,
and the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on pay-
ment of \$4 in addition to the regular tariff
rate.

Passengers holding orders for OVER-
LAND CITIES in the United States have
between San Francisco and Chicago, the
option of the SOUTHERN, CENTRAL PACIFIC,
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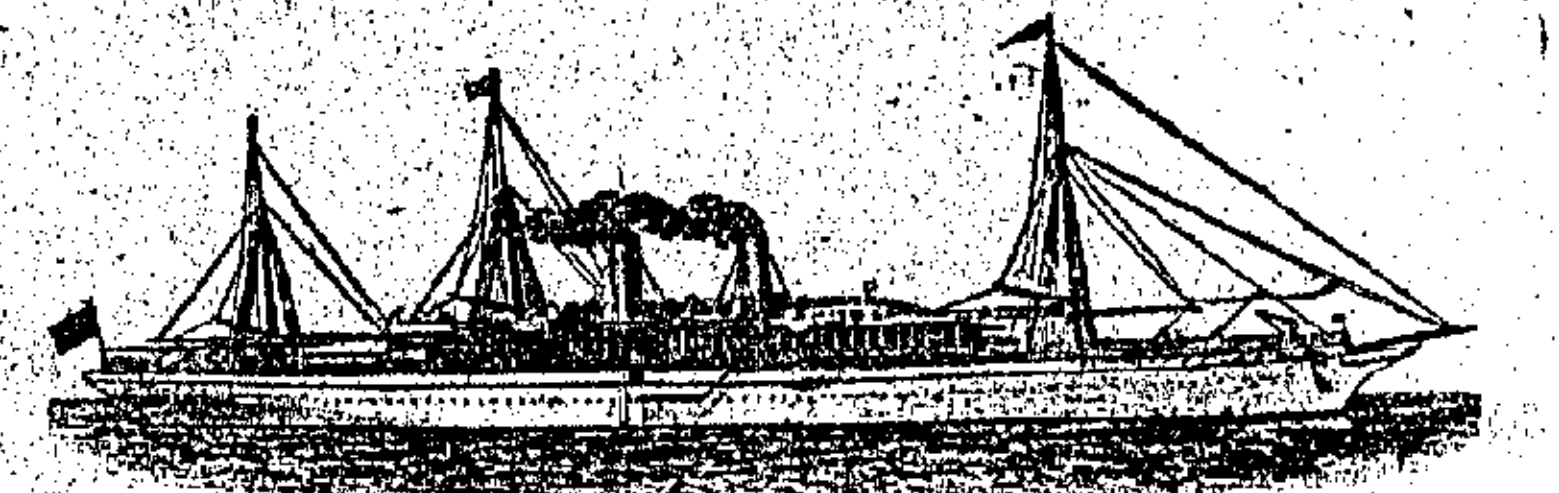
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